Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL\$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND 4,600,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OF } 7,500,000. PROPRIETORS

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and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan:

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 13th May, 1890.

RULES OF THE

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

I,-THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong, Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3 : SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

In any one year. .-DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per annum will be allowed to Depositors on

their daily balances. 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, Chesterfield & Covert COATS. about the beginning of January and

beginning of July. 6.-CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
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FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1864. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

PAID-UP CAPITAL£ 580,000,

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Hongkong, 2nd April, 1800.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1890.

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Intimations.

TRAMP ABROAD by Mark Twain. Innocents Abroad Hucklebury Finn The Prince and the Pauper Tom Sawyer Mark Twain's Choice Works. Roughing it '-Life on the Mississippi The Gilded Age Artemus Works Complete Works.

The Decameron of Boccaccio. The Works of Rabelais—illustrated by Dore. Cruickshank's Comic Almanack. Taine's English Literature. Bret Harte's Complete Works. Familiar Allusions, a handbook of miscellaneous

information. Theodore Hook's Choice Works. Chas. Lamb's Essays and Writings. Maclise's Portrait gallery of illu arious Literary Characters.

Denn Swift's Selected Works. Wright's Caricature History of the Georges. Sheridan's Complete Works. Works of Edgar Allen Poc. Tom Hood's Choice Works.

Short Sayings of Great Men. Elizabeth Barrett Browning's Works. The Works of Emerson. The Specta or, edited by Henry Morley. Lempriére's Classical Dictionary.

Broad Grins and other Humorous Works by Geo, Colman, Jr. Brewer's Reader's Handbook of Allusions, Plots and Stories. Schiller's Poems and Plays.

Dr. Syntax's Three Tours. The Greville Memoirs, 8 vols. complete. Macaulay's History of England, Essays and Writings and Speeches. Goethe's Faust, translated. Manzoni's The Betrothed Lovers. Bartlett's Familiar Quotations. Brewer's Dictionary of Phrase and Fable. Every Man's Own Lawyer.

Ben Hur, a tale of the Christ. Smiles' Complete Works. Herbert Spencer's Complete Works. Haydn's Dictionary of Dates. Hill's Manual of Social and Business Forms. Household History of the United States and its people.

MARINE

HONGKONG. THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will

on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. OPEN THE MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL is situated on the Praya, West, opposite the Old P. & O. Whatf, and is newly built after the designs of the Largest European Hotels—the BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour.

The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in superior style. ENGLISH and AMERICAN TABLES.

WINE and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begs the patronage of the Public, hoping to give every satisfaction. JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor.

Hongkong, 21st March, 1890

GOOD stock of Silver H Wood Pipes in cases. Travelling Copying Presses.

Great variety of bindings in Prayer Books and

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mangkang, 16th May, 1890.

TAILORS, HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS. Ulsters & Inverness CAPES. | Ladies' HABITS.

Cheviot & Saxony SUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. RACING COLORS, RIDING BREECHES. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1800

New FELT HATS (latest styles) | Travelling RUGS & MAUDS DRAB SHELL HATS. Single & Double TERAI HATS | PORTMANTEAUS, &c., &c.

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Hongkong-13, Queen's Road.

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ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just received their first deliveries of Lace and Coloured Curtains & "Art" Muslins for Summer use, which they are offering at extraordinarily low prices. Nottingham Lace Curtains one, Thousand pairs to select from. From \$2 per pair. A splendid selection of "Art" Muslins from 21 cents per yard.—Art Muslin Curtains, Electric Cross Striped Curtains, Fringed Curtains, Frilled Curtains, The "Portland" Curtain,

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Complete House Furnishers.

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Victoria Exchange, Hongkong, 13th May, 1890.

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Every article guaranteed as represented. trouble to show goods. One price only.

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A NEMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on TUESDAY NEXT, the 20th instant, at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 13th May, 1890

Consignees.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM: TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY,

COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship "THISBE" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns known as The Hongkong Wharf and Godowns, Wanchai whence delivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods

This vessel brings on Cargo :-From Calcutta & Madras, ex S.S. "NIOBE, transhipped at Colombo. From Trieste. &c., ex S.S. "IMPERATRIX,"

transhipped at Bombay. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before noon on the 22nd inst., or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd

inst., will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 15th May, 1890. MOGUL S.S. CO., LD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "AFGHAN," FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be

obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 22nd inst., will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd inst, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents

Hongkong, 15th May, 1890 THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns, of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 19th instant, or they will not be

All broken, chaied, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any

Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 19th inst., will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before to a.m., TO-DAY, the 13th inst. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agenta. Hongkong, 13th May, 1890.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship

"NAMOA," Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 18th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 15th May, 1890.

ASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &C.)

HE Steamship "MENMUIR," Captain Craig will be despatched for above Ports, on MONDAY, the 26th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 11th May, 1800;

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE. (PASSING THROUGH THE INLAND SEA.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "VERONA" Captain C. F. Preston, R.N.R., will leave for the

above places, at DAYLIGHT, TO-MORROW, the 17th inst. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent,

Hongkong, 1st May, 1800 THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON.

THE Steamship OOPACK." Chs. H. Kemp, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, TO-MORROW, the 17th

inst., at DAYLIGHT. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 15th May, 1890. MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LD. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship "AFGHAN." Captain Golding, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 17th inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 15th May, 1890.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 17th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 12th May, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, VIA INLAND SEA. THE Steamship "PEMBROKESHIRE."

Captain Dancaster, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 18th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents:

Hongkong, 12th May, 1800. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO and BOMBAY, having connexion with Company's Mail Steamer to ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID, TRIESTE, VENICE, and FIUME.

THE Company's Steamship

Freight, apply to

".THISBE," Captain E. Perini, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 18th instant, at DAYLIGHT, taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVANT,

and ADRIATIC PORTS). Cargo will not be received on board after 3 P.M. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 6th May, 1800. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY,

(Calling at Colombo if sufficient inducement THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"THIBET" will leave for the above places, on FRIDAY, th 23rd inst., at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1890. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. THE Company's Steamship "CHANGSHA," . E. Williams, Commander, will be despatched

as above on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at DAY-The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the engines. Second Class Passengers are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified

Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE;

Hongkong, 14th May, 1890.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship

"PATAGONIA, Hibbert, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 5th April, 1890. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

HE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

"WILLIAM H. MACY," Amsbury, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1890. FOR NEW YORK. HE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship "JOSEPH H. SCAMMELL,"

Bolt, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 24th March, 1890.

Mails.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM.

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO,

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE:

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTIN STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

"OCEANIC" will be desnatched for San Francisco, wid Kobe and Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 22nd

May, at I P.M. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. 'All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received at

the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :--To San Francisco.....\$225,00

To San Francisco and return, 393.75 available for 6 months...... To Liverpool 325.00

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this line have the option of

proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not abbly to through fares from China and

Fatan to Europe. Consular Involces to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs,

San Francisco For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN,

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING

AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1800.

THE U.S. Mail Steamship "CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 3rd June, at r P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan,

the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Citles of the United States via Overland Rallways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England,

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, } available for 6 months..... To Liverpool...... 325.00 To London...... 330.00

To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific

and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of to per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and

Japan to Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day ; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the

United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50 A, Queen's Road Central.

Bhankong, 12th May Pro-NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE

C. D. HARMAN,

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

ONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL, AT

SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

N WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of June, 1890, at 4 P.M., the Company's Steamship "NECKAR," Captain H. Supmer, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GRNOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on 3rd June, (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Agents,

For further Particulars, apply to

Hengkong, 12th May. 1800

Intimations.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED, CHEMISTS.

ERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS, WINE & SPIRIT IMPORTERS.

Selections from our Wine and Spirit List :-SCOTCH WHISKY, The finest quality obtainable, guaranteed 7

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COGNAC. Extra-A pure genuine grape spirit matured Per bottle \$1.50, dazen \$16.

SHERRY, Amontillado, a natural wine, old bottled, dry, delicate flavour. Per bottle \$1.10, dozen \$12.

Purple capsule. Tawny with age, fine bouquet Per bottle \$1.25, dozen \$14. CLARET, ST. JULIEN, An excellent Dinner Wine. Per bottle \$0.75, dozen \$8.

(Telephone No. 60.) Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, 12th May, 1890.

BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

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MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS.

OUR AERATED WATER MANUFACTORY all the latest improvements in the trade.

The greatest attention has been paid to appliances for ensuring purity in the Water-supply, to secure which we have added a Condenser capable of supplying us with 3,000 gallons of distilled water a day, and are now in a position to compete in quality with the best English Makers. Our Sweet Waters cannot be surpassed anywhere. The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the

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We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordinary size.

COAST PORT ORDERS. whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and

placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties. when received in good order. Counterfoil Order Books supplied on applica-

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is, "DISPENSARY," HONGKONG," And all signed messages addressed thus

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SODA WATER LEMONADE POTASH WATER SELTZER WATER

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GINGERADE. No Credit given for bottles that look dirty. or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any other purpose than that of Containing 'Aerated Water, as such bottles are never used again by us.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, Hongkong; China, and Manila.

Hongkong, Friday, May 16, 1890.

For some months past there has been a considerable amount of controversy amongst the leading sharebrokers of the Colony as to the advisability of establishing a Stock Exchange where business could be carried on in a legitimate and trustworthy manner. Rules and regulations were drawn up by Mr. J. J. FRANCIS, Q.C., and meetings of brokers have from time to time been called and held in the Board Room of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for the purpose of considering the best manner of regulating and improving the stock and

share business of the Colony. Notwithstanding all the energy which has been displayed by certain would-be reformers, it was decided at the last meeting, held on Monday the 12th instant, to allow this much needed reform to collapse—at least so far as private enterprise is concerned. The matter has now, we understand, been again submitted to His Excellency the Office Administering the Government, together with the dicision arrived at on Monday last, viz :- "To abandon the formation of a Stock Exchange in this Colony." We trust that his Excellency will see his way to deal with the matter under consideration in such a manner as may be satisfactory to the community at large. One thing is certain beyond all doubt, and that is—if the more responsible share-brokers in the .Colony cannot form rules and regulations for their own guidance, then they must inevitably submit to "the powers that be," whose duty, is seems, is to specially legislate for them. Share jobbing has been carried on for

a considerable time on a thoroughly illegitimate and unreliable basis, and this can plainly be seen by the numerous cases which have been occupying the attention of the Summary Jurisdiction Court-cases | convicts,

which could never have arisen except under the present regime of share business

now in vogue here. Let any one interested take a walk down the Queen's Road at about noon and he will find surrounding the Hongkong Hotel a gang of men, of all shades of colourand of all nationalities, gesticulating and swearing at each other in their different languages. The pavement is almost impassable to pedestrians. This riff-raff, who assume the name of and claim to be share-brokers, stock-brokers, etc. have become a dangerous and intolerable nuisance and a pest to the Colony; but nevertheless they claim and receive the same protection from the Government. and apparently have the same locus stands as honorable and respectable firms which have existed for a number of years. Such a state of things, to say the very least, must be unsatisfactory to all concerned, and must suggest to the Government the necessity for reform, and that reform, to our thinking, should be by legislation of a stringent character. At the present time share business in Hongkong is in a very despondent state, and now should bewihe opportunity to make such regulations as would deter, if that is possible, unprincipled share-jobbers from causing a repetition of. the scandalous cases which have so frequently of late come under the notice of ruins. the Supreme Court. We feel quite certain that bankers, merchants and commercial is replete with the best Machinery, embodying men generally connected with the share business, do not require the assistance of the class of men above referred to. Why then do they exist? The answer simply is that there is no law which deters them from carrying on amongst themselves a gambling share business under the guise of share-brokers. We quite admit that every man has a right, a perfect right, to, make a legitimate living in the way he deems best, but in the majority of cases the jubbers referred to do not make an honest living, but gain their livelihoods by dishonest speculation which is disastrous, ends in untold misery to others and bankruptcy to themselves. What are these ment but reckless gamblers?" Men who have probably started without a cent of capital, but who, in order to carry out their nefarious speculations on time contracts, assume the high-sounding title of stock

> and share-brokers. We have seen so recently the outcome of the fatal spirit of reckless speculation which has almost ruined this colony, that no apology is needed for speaking plainly. All classes of men, even as low down as junior clerks and office boys, with small stipends, have launched out beyond their means; they allege they have been tempted. No doubt, and they have fallen. Who have been the principal cause of these outrages on our commercial character? Need we

> . Something must be done and done quickly to put a stop to this wholesale fraud under another name. Why should not the Government compel share brokers to take out a license? Auctioneers pay \$300 per annum, and why should not share, Lrokers pay for their licenses too? What we want and what we must have effective and prompt legislation, Fortuna sequalur:

TELEGRAM

THE MALAY STATES. LONDON, May 6th.

In the House of Commonsthe Under-Secretary for the Colonies said that the Government cannot sanction the return of Sultan Abdullah to the Malay Peninsu a

> PORTUGAL IN SOUTH AFRICA, May 14th.

A Pertuguese expeditionary I ree has started

to occupy Z. zaland.

GERMANY. THE DEBATE IN THE REICHSTAG, General Caprivi said that Germany cannot go back from East Africa and had no intention to encroach on the British sphere, but was determined to proceed in harmony with England,

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s stenmer Teheran left Bombay yesterday for this port,

THE Tientsin Spring Race Meeting commenced yesterday. Mr. C. H. Hutchings and Mr. D. E. Por you see we were not on the streipt,

Sassoon are riding at the meeting, WOODYEAR'S circus has arrived at Singapore from Manila, with a troupe of thirty performers. The opening show was announced for Saturday

THE Straits Times says that a lot of Raub scrip came to Singapore from Australia by last mail News from the mines, however, continues to be

of a most favorable character. THE P, M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 28th ulto., arrived at Yokohama to-day, and

will leave for this port to morrow. A REGULAR meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 1165, E.C., will be held in Freemasons Hall. Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for go'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially

THE Russian transport Kostroma arrived at Singapore on the 7th inst. from Odessa, en routs Mr. Apcar's proposition that the Directors E. Robinson on the bench, A. M. P. Silva was to Viadiv-stock, with 635 passengers who are described as "emigrants," but who are probably

Lloyds' steamer Neckar.

MR. CRAWFORD D. KERR, Secretary of the Straits Insurrance Co., left Singapore for a trip to Europe in the Messageries Maritimes' steamer Congo on the 7th inst. During his absence Mr. W. Macbean will act as locum tenens.

THE new pumping machinery for the Raub mine-was expected in-Singapore-on-the-12th inst. According to the Straits Times, the manager of the mine has ceased sinking, and commenced to drive with apparently good

A young man was calling on a Congressman's daughter in Washington one evening when the father appeared at the parlor door. "May come in? he asked, hesitatingly. "Ob, yes." she answered, "ye tim sy; but we have a quorum without you."

A SINGAPORE paper advertises that an estate in British North Borneo wants a book-keeper, who must be Dutch, German, or Swiss, with a sufficient knowledge of English. No Britisher need apply-and yet, yes, British North Borneo is de facto a British colony. What next?

SIX assistant Chinese c'erks and stevedores, for refusal of duty on board the steamer Singapore. were sentenced to a fortnight's imprisonment by the Singapore Marine Magistrate on the roth inst This is an example which our local Harbour Master might imitate with advantage.

THE adjourned enquiry into the circumstances attending the fire at No. 68, Bonham Strand. on the 28th ulto, was adjourned by Mr. Wode house this morning until next Friday, the 23rd inst. Inspector Hennessy stated that the body of a Chinaman had been found amongst the

The members of the Sanitary Board, in solemi conclave assembled, decided this afternoon that the local architects had no sufficient reason for complaining to the Administrator of the Sanitary Inspector's report. We hold over a detailed account of the Board's proceedings until to-

As will by seen by an advertisement in another column, Hudson's Surprise Party will give an entertainment in the Theatre Royal, City Hall on Wednesday next, the 21st inst., They wil appear for one night only, as we understand that Mr. and Mrs. Hudson p-occed direct to Europe by next English mail,

THE Singapore Free Press says it was reported that on the night of the 9th inst, a Malay girl walking along the Bukit Timan Road, by the sixth milestone was attacked by two tigers, one of which knocked her down and the other bi her arm off, and then left her on the ground where she was found some time after.

IT is reported that still another Portuguese clerk in a position of trust in this colony will have to face the music in the Supreme Court. He is an employé of a Public Company and his alleged crime is forgery. We shall probably be in position to give full details to-morrow-that is, assuming the report to be well founded.

THE statement telegraphed from Berlin to the effect that several rich and distinguished officers of the (uards had sent in their papers in consequence of the late sumptuary edict of the Emperor, which they were supposed to regard as too much of an arbitrary restraint on thei social habits and mode of life, is now said to be unfounded.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme in the Barrack Square,

Merch	, commencing at 7,30 Forward"	Doppler.
Lancers	"The Mikado"	Bucalossi.
Wales	" Daddy!"	
Polka	Fiorella"" Fun of the Fair"	Lavey.
Quadrillo .	" Fun of the Fair"	Williams.
Galop	" Immer Fidele "	Zikoff.

THIS from the Straits Times of the 7th inst .:-The arrangements for Mr. Percival Spencer! "Drop from the Glouds" on Saturday are progreessing satisfactorily. The high matting fence and enclosure for reserved seats are in course of erection. The Gas Manager is tapping the main in the immediate vicinity with a 4-inch supply pipe, so that an ample supply of gas for inflating the balloon is assured. The demand for tickets for seats in the reserved enclosure is said to be good.

DR. YOUL, who sits on Melbourne corpses and on live people when they require it, was recently lecturing the police for allowing a prisoner secrete a revolver in his cell. "Suppose he had come into Court, you know, and shot one of the magistrates!" sa'd his Honour. The extreme awfulness of this possibility struck the whole Court dumb for several seconds, and the policemen present recled and staggered on their large, flat feet. At length the silence was broken by small voice from the back benches, exclaiming, with subdued feryour - And agood job, 100."

HARRYSTANLEY'S Operatic, Burlesque, Dramatic and Pantomime Co. opened in Singapore for a season of six nights only on Saturday last, the roth last, As the season will probably be extended a few days, they will scarcely arrive here before the end of the month; and long before that time the genial Fommy Hudson, sole author and composer of that charming idyll, " The windy man from Aberdeen," will have returned from Japan to " scoop in" the strav shekels of local play-goers for one night only. We honestly hope and believe that both of these talented combinations will receive substantial support here, notwithstanding the ahnormal "tightness" of money.

WASN'T IT! [From the Charleston World.] "Oh, Frank, dear, what is a receipt?" She asked me-(she looked very sweipt-Her directoire, it fitted so neipt-She's stylish from brow to her feipt). "I'll explain." I said, "fair Marguereipt;" So I placed my arm round her twee melpt, But in a nice shaded retreipt)-And I kissed her-good gracious, itwas swelpt She returned it. "Now that's a receipt In full," I said. Wasn't that neipt?

[Oh! what an outrageous deceipt, How foolish and how indiscreipt.—ED.]

THE fourth ordinary meeting of shareholders. of Messrs, Campbell, Moore & Co., Ld., was held yesterday afternoon. Messrs. A. Fuckeera. Chairman: W. P. Moore, A. G. Apcar, A. M. Apear, Directors; I. F. Leon, Secretary; D. McCulloch, J. S. Perry, P. P. Daver, F. Jamsetjee and C. A. Ozorlo were present, The accounts. which had been in the shareholders' hands for the past week, were passed. The Chairman explained that the meeting would have been held in February had not Mr. Gourdin been delayed in auditing the accounts, owing to great pressure of other husiness matters. A motion by Mr.

McCulloch that the charge for audiling should, in future, be reduced to \$50 was carried ; as also should receive as remuneration \$150 per charged, on remand with the emberiement of annum. Dividend warrants will be issued on \$44,484.77 belonging to the Hongkong and

REAR-ADMIRAL Valois, of the German Navy, THERE will be a regular meeting of Victoria who comes out to assume command of the Lodge, No. 1026, held in Freemasons' Hall German squadron in the Far East, arrived here. Zetland Street, on Thursday, the 22nd instant, from home this morning by the North German at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

> PROFESSOR Thomson says that the dynamo of the Juture will develop from 2,000 to 3,000 horsepower, and as there is practically no limit to its increase, he sees no reason why it should not go far 'wyord those figures.

> WE are requested to state that H. E. Major-General J. Bevan Edwards, C.B., will hold a forewell reception at Head-quarter House on Wednesday afternoon, the 21st inst., between the hours of 5 and 7. There will be lawn-tennis, and the Band of the Argvil and Sutherland Highlanders will play a selection of music during the afternoon.

THE river Thames is, as everyone knows, very muddy, slimy and crooked. Just so. what could Sir Charles Dilke mean when he said lately, "Sir Henry Parkes has something of the aspect of Father Thames." We are just wondering whether or not this simile is applicable to one or two Hongkong leading "lights." "Is that possible?"

AN A.B. and an apprentice on board the "Shire liner Pambrokeshire were convicted at Singapore on the 0th inst, of appropriating nine bottles of whiskey from that vessel which did not belong to them. The apprentice will have three months and the A.B. a fortnight in rigorous confinement to think over the evils of loving whiskey not wisely but too well.

WE thank "Admirer" for his good opinion of self-laudation. Of course we know that the Hongkong Telegraph is a "live" paper and that our two contemporaries are as dead as drowned billy-goat-but after all, what does it matter? "Live and let live" has always been our motto, and "Admirer" should remember that their weakness only adds to our strength.

PARIS officers going to seize the goods of woman against whom a judgment had been obtained, found her apparently dead and prepared for burial in her rooms. They were about to retire when one of them could not resist the temptation to pinch the plump arm of the woman. The supposed cornse promptly sat up on the bier and gave the impertinent officer regular dressing down before she remembered that she was dead to her creditors, if not to the world. The execution was made at once and the goods sold.

IT appears from the Scotsman that in one week, thing dreadful which had happened. Pri oner forty new joint-stock companies have been told witness briefly that he had passed entries considerable increase on last year's average. losses on Sugar shares. He then pointed out the capital of the 136 companies registered through- said did not exist. He pointed out nothing out the whole of 1879 was £8,844,604, but these figures included a number of private firms converted into limited liabilty companies, whose shares were not offered to the public.

UNDER the heading "The Gospel of Love," a Singapore contemporary states that "two young Japanese noblemen who have been studying in Germany have just been converted to Christianity, and been baptized at the church of Eilsdorf, near Berlin. They desire to marry two young German girls, whose parents insisted on their conversion as a sine que non. Count Armia. goes by the name of M. Curt, and is going to the Military School at Berlin, and hopes to pass his career in the Prussian Army. Viscount Kobaya is known as M. Bruno, and is reading for the

We find this in a London paper dated April 14th :- "The official list of divorce cases to tired during the sittings which commence tomorrow, was issued on Saturday, the total numbering 235, which is above the average. Amor the actions to be determined is that of Dunio Dunio and Wertheimer, in which the petitioner, Viscount Dunlo, son of the Earl of Clancarty, seeks a divorce from Lady Dunio, better known as Miss Belle Bilton. Sir Charles Russell has been retained for the petitioner, and the case is expected to be reached in about three weeks'

THE reperioire of Mr. Harry Stanley's company, which will shortly, visit Hongkong, includes the

de Corneville, Grand Duchess of Gerolstein, H.M.S., "Pinafore," Patience, Mikado, La Fille de Madame Angot, La Fille du Tambour-Major, Ruddigore, Bohemian Girl, La Sonnambula, Olivette, Manola, Paul Jones, Faust up to Date, Martha, Dorothy, Little Duke, La Mascotte, &c.

Burlesques-Aladdin, The Maid and the Magple, Jack the Giant-Killer, Sleeping Beauty, Shee, Princess Cherry Blossom, Laila Rookh, Blue Beard, &c. &.

Dramas and Comedies-The Colleen Bawn, Our Boys, Harbour Lights, East Lynne, Rob Roy, Held by the Enemy, Magistrate, Under the Gas Light, Ticket of Leave Man, &c. &c.

SUPREME COURT IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr. A. G. Wise, Acting Puisne

ANOTHER PUNJOH BUSTER.

DAYER U. O. BRANDT, \$400. Mr. Hastings (of Messrs. Wotton and Deacon) appeared for the plaintiff, who claimed from Mr. Oscar Brandt the sum of \$400, difference in price of certain Punjom shares which defendant had failed to take up on due date.

The defendant was not represented, nor did he appear in person. Mr. P. F. Daver stated that he sold to Mr. Oscar Brandt so Punjom shares at \$19 each for delivery on the agth of April. They were not the proper market price at that time, on the 26th to him in this connection.

Mr. S. E. Casumbhoy, a broker, said that on the 26th of April of this year the market price of Bunjoms was Ett per share. His lordship gave judgment for plaintiff with

THE CHINESE INSURANCE CO. v. ANDREW, \$75. The Chinese Insurance Company, represented by Messrs. Wotton and Deacon, claimed the sum of \$75 from Mr. John Andrew, balance of

The defendant was not represented. Mr. Carl Herman Harms, clerk of the Chinese Insurance Co., said that the defendant owed the Company \$75 for rent. There being no desence, his lordship entered Judgment for plaintiffs with costs.

THE HONGKONG BANK EMBEZZLE MENT CASE.

At the Police Court this afternoon, Mr. Shanghal Banking Corporation, Mr. A. D.

Caldwell defended.

and Chinese.

Thomas Jackson stated he was Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. He first became aware of the pri-Wednesday about half past three o'clock speculations. The father said his son had taken from forty to forty-five thousand dollars and added that he (the father) was very anxious to do anything he could to make good the loss. Witness stated that this having come to his knowledge he must bring it before the Court of Directors. He then called the accountant (Mr. Maitland) and he had an interview with Mr. Silva, Senior. Mr. Maitland then saw the prisoner, who pointed out the items that had been falsified. Witness did not speak to the prisoner

father spoke to him he had no idea that there. was anything wrong, neither was he aware that anyone else knew it. The prisoner certainly had innumerable opportunities of leaving the Colony since last August without detection. After he had seen Mr. Silva, witness went to Mr. Maitland's desk. He saw the prisoner there, where the vouchers were beeing examined. seemed to him that the prisoner was making and complete disclosures. His whole impression was that the prisoner did not wish to. conceal anything. He showed no desire to run out of the Bank building. Witness instructed Mr Maitland to enquire into the matter. He Upper Richmond Road traverses the southern our "rag." but prefer not to publish letters of did not know Silva's predecessor in the Bill department. He could not tell exactly who it ling. The roads and slopes have been planted was. It seemed to him, speaking from his own knowledge of this and other banks, that a case like this was almost impossible to occur. But in spite of all safeguards, it appeared that a man could commit a fraud, no matter how you watched him. He had not specially enquired whether the usual safeguards were in this particular instance applied. Although he had heard of plenty of robberies and frauds, he had never heard of a previous instance of bills being scheduled which did not exist at all.

Andrew Wright Maitland said he was Chief Accountant of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. He remembered Mr. Jackson coming to his desk on Wednesday afternoon. He went to find prisoner and did find him walking about in the office. He asked him what was the matter. Prisoner had heard that his father had been to the Chief Manager and told of someregistered in Scotland, with a total capital of for bills which the Bank had never received. £3,455,820. During the three months expiring | Witness asked him what he had done with the on the 31st of March last there has been a money, and Silva replied that he had used it for which for the quarter was £2,211,151. The total en ries of certain bills in the register which he Cross-examined: When he had the conver-.

sation with prisoner he did not know whether Mr. Jackson was there or not. Prisoner was agitated and answered in subduce tones. The prisoner gave him the information he asked for, Before that date he did not know of anyone who was cognisant respecting these delalcations. some of which took place in August last. If the usual form had been observed there might have been some questions about it, because it would be surprising that such a youth should be engaged in such large transactions. These large amounts would be entered in a ledger which was kept usually by an English clerk. But sometimes, when the Bank was short-handed, Portuguese clerks keep the ledgers, but only as a temporary measure. In the case of the prisoner the sums would be passed into the ledger of the man who has charge of the ledger "S." In the case of overdrawn accounts, cheques would be referred either to witness or to the sub-accountant. In the case of credits no reference need be made with regard to outsiders; but in the case of large credits by junior clerks in the Bank, reference should be made to him or the sub-accountant In the present case no reference was made to him by the ledger keeper. The balances were made up at the end of last year. Not being within his knowledge he could not say how the balance was struck last year and this matter escaped notice. As far as he knew there was nothing to prevent the prisoner from running away before last Wednesday. He knew Acurcio Jorge. who had the prisoner's seat in the Bank, prior Operas - The Pirates of Pensance, Les Cloches | to the prisoner being in the bill department. He thought the prisoner succeeded him about June last year. Mr. Jorge had been many years in the Bank's service, and was an old and

Mr. Caldwell in summing up said that the prisoner was not prepared, at that time, to dispute the alleged confessions in the Bank. He admitted the charge. The c was, therefore, nothing for his Worship but to commit the prisoner for trial. He might add, however, that the admission referred only to one item of

Mr. Johnson then stated that he considered unnecessary at present to go into any further evidence regarding the other item of \$21,206.15. Dectective McIver having deposed as to the arrest of the prisoner in the Bank at half past six o'clock on Wednesday last, his Worship committed the case for trial at the next Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court.

A BRITISH MARINERS ASSOCIA TION FOR HONGKONG.

We hear that a meeting will be held next week in connection with the formation of a proposed British Mariners Association in this colony." The objects of the Association are not difficult to understand. It is set forth that the officers and men of the Mercantile Marine have for some long time past laboured under serious disavantages, and suffered in many cases grievous individual hardship, besides having to enter into competition with unqualified men. and that many abuses have grown up and brought a stigma upon a profession that should taken up at due date, so he sold them at \$11, rank second to none in the world. Being fully convinced of the above facts, this Association of April. He now claimed \$400 as balance due is being brought into existence to counteract night; the blame for the fatal explesion being influences that are working against its members attributed to Engineer Hall, who was consured interests, to initiate reforms, to sweep away by the Court. shuses, to enable its members to fill their social position with comfort to themselves. maintain the dignity of their profession, and Arrwimi Forrest to be fabulously rich in Indiato watch over and guard the interests of rubber. its members whenever they may be assailed. And while doing this, members are saked to beat in mind that this Association is not formed to work in antagonism to their employers; on the contrary, they are extracally requested to show by their ability and general fitness for Carlist leader, the Marquis Cerralbo, on his the positions they hold, that their being members arrival at Valencia, broke the windows of his of this Association is a guarantee to owners or | hoteld and set fire to and burned the Carlist companies that in employing them they are Club. consulting their own interests. In conclusion. the Association cannot fail to be productive of good if its members will give to it a generous moned arrived in time to prevent mischief there. and cordial support, and the officers and men who comprise it may hope, by the exercise of wise counsels, moderate action, and united effort, to make themselves respected, and an honour to their profession.

We are very glad to Hear that such an Association is on the verge of actual existence, and: would auggest to its promoters that ultimately it should assume, as far as possible, an international natives,

Johnson, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr. Laspect, and thus become one of the most power ful and useful organizations of its kind that the The court was again crowded with foreigners | world has yet known. Sailing ships can put to sea without engineers as we all know, but neither steamers nor sailing vessels can stir unless they have their complement of qualified officers and men. It is, therefore, clear that soner's defalcations by his father calling last the whip will very shortly be in the hands of British seamen, as it should be, who will not, and stating that his son had taken certain as heretofore, be entirely at the mercy of shipmonles belonging to the Bank, owing to owners and marine superintendents. We wish his having got into trouble through some share the proposed Hongkong Association every success in its legitimate aspirations.

> THE RICHMOND TERRACE ESTATE AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the General Manager for the year ended the 31st December, 1889, for presentation to the shareholders at the ordinary general meeting of the Company, to be held at the office of the Company (36, Queen's Cross-examined by Mr. Caldwell-Before the Road Central), at noon on Saturday, the 24th May. 800:-

. To the shareholders of the Richmond Terrace Estate & Building Company, Limited.

Gentlumen,—I beg to lay before you our Balance, Sheet for the year 1889. The work on the Company's property during the year has been pushed forward as rapidly as possible, and the Richmond Estate has been laid outto its boundaries, affording numerous valuable building sites, approached by private roads at an easy gradient and commanding on all sides beautiful views. This Estate is now divided into two lots by the Lower Richmond Read, while the or upper boundary on which we are now build-

with trees, and I have to acknowledge, with many thanks, the assistance that I have received from Mr. Ford, the Superintendent of the Botanical Gardens. The securities we hold are stated in detail. and are written down to the present market price. The net profit, after payment of Interest to Debenture holders, of Repairs and other

dividend of 14 per cent., absorbing \$4,662.00, and to carry forward \$5,999 18. The accounts have been audited by Mr. A. W.

expenses, and including a balance of \$1,200.74

brought forward from last year, amount to

\$10,661.18, out of which I propose to pay a

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS, General Manager

Hongkong, 14th May, 1800. BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31ST, 1889.

Liabilities. Capital Account:----Original Capital\$33,300 00 New Capital, to count for Dividends from > 66,700.00

January 1st, 1800.... -\$100,000,00 Debentures, 233 of \$100 each, bearing Interest at 5 per cent. per annum. 23,300.00 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank 153,724:38 Cash on Deposit.....

Sundry Creditors Profit and Loss \$328,767.30

Crown Leasehold Estates and Buildings\$100,547.60 Investments in Public Companies,

A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd. 2,050 shares at \$11\$ 43,050.00 Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Limited, 50 shares at \$03.....

Hongkong & Whampos Dock Co., Lt., 790 shares at 12 per cent. prem,.... 150,100.00 Trust and Loan Co. of China, J pan, and Straits Limited, De-

posit on Application Tebran and Gambier Planting Co., 50 Shares at \$50 each 2,500.00 dry Debtors

Advances on Crown Leaseholds 25,337.50 \$339,767.30

To Crown Rent, General Charges, Repairs, Fire Insurance, Auditor's Fees and Depreciation 2.508.30 To Interest, Balance of Account .,....

\$13,783.71 By Balance forward \$ 1,290.74 Rents, Investments, &c 12,493 07

\$13,733,81

INO. D. HUMPHREYS, General Manager. I have compared the atove Statement with the books and youthers of the Company and

found it to be correct. A. W. MAITLAND, Hongkong, 14th May, 1990. LATE TELEGRAMS

LONDON, April 11th. A fire broke out this morning in the residence of Baron Rothschild at Waddeson, and resulted in the destruction of an oil painting by Gainsborough, valued at f. 10,000.

The new army regulations which have been issued do not increase the number of facilities for obtaining commissions in the British army by officers from the Colonies. The Barracouta enquiry was concluded last

Mr. Stanley in a interview with the correspon-

dent of a London contemporary, declared the

'The Right Rev. Dr. Parry, Bishop Suffragan of Dover, is dead, Sir Louis Jackson, C.I.E. is dead.

A mob, yesterday, stoned the carriage of the

An attempt was then made to wreck the Jesuit Convent, but the troops who had been sum-Barricades were thrown across the streets, and the aspect of affairs is still serious."

LONDON, April 12th. The Right Hon ble Hugh Childers, on his rethrn here, has been interviewed by a press representative to whom he stated in regard to India that he had formed a high opinion of the resources of the country and the capacity of the

The Daily Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent says that the police discovered quantities of strong explosives at Gatchina on Thursday, in lodgings which had been recently vacated.

The owners of the Midland collicries having conceded an advance of 10 per cent, in wages to the miners, the leaders of the strike movement are now discouraging any further a itation until Christmas.

The Duke of Cambridge has invited six or twelve Victorian riflemen to take part in the rifle tournament which is to be opened on the 18th.

Viscount Deerhurst (eldest son of the Earl of: Coventry), who was lately adjudicated insolvent, has made an arrangement with his creditors.

The Econmist, commenting on the Victorian loan, for which tenders are now invited, advises investors to show more than ordinary caution, and declares that unless some financial ability is introduced into the Victorian Treasury, political jobbery checked, and Parliament insists upon deriving more money from lands than from loans and the colonial tax-payers, English investors will suffer.

The Financial Times, in an adverse article on the Bank of New Zealand published to-day, refers to Mr. Buckley's pamphlet, which contains a confidential letter from Mr. Murray. The writer of the article thinks that this is only the beginning of the revelations that must be made of the affairs of the bank, and asks whether it is true that two members of the Colonial Government borrowed £60,000 from the bank, and the interest was unpaid for two years.

Four hundred live sheep have been imported into Liverpool from the Argentine Republic, and have realised double the amount at which frozen mutton from the River Plate has recently been sold.

The carpenters in New York are going out on strike on the 1st May in support of the eighthour movement.

The Socialists have determined upon a monster parade in Paris on the 1st of May, in which 200,000 will take part.

The programme submitted by the United States Government for the increase of the Navy has been largely curtailed by the House of Representatives.

The Portuguese dealers at Mozambique, on the East Coast of Africa, have forbidden the supply of provisions to the British men-of-war.

April 13th. The death is announced of Sir John Henry

The report recently received of the massacre of two Portuguese officers and 150 native soldiers by the Makololo tribe in South-Eastern Africa, has been confirmed.

The tenants evicted from the Smith-Barry estates in Tipperary have built a new town in the vicinity, which was opened yesterday with great ceremony, Messrs. Dalvtt, O'Brien, and other members of the Nationalist party taking a leading part in the proceedings. The old town has been entirely descried,

April 14th. It is reported that King Leopold of Belgium has refused an offer made by Germany of 100,000,000 francs (£4,000,000) to acquire the available surplus of £1,549,000. A crimage fund induced to enter into the contract owing to false Inspector Sheriff resided only a few feet away, territory of the Congo Free State.

News from Egypt states that travellers who have arrived from Omdurman, in the Southern Soudan, report that the Mahdists have practically disappeared. The route between Dongola and Khartoum is now open, and Mahdism is dying out in Upper Egypt and the Soudan.

The Samoan Convention, which was arranged some time ago between representatives of The house duty would be reduced by £540,000, Company. Germany, Great Britain, and the United States ments of the three Powers.

Five thousand dock labourers at Birkenhead have struck work.

NEW YORK, April 14th. An excursion steamer from Saginaw to Michigan ran foul of a bridge yesterday. Eighty persons were thrown into the water by the force of the shock, six being drowned; and many

LONDON, April, 15th. Mr. Mathews, Home Secretary, replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day, stated that the judge who tried the case, approved of the execution of the elder of the brothers Davies, who were convicted of the murder of their father. The Grand Duke Constantine of Russia. cousin of the Czar, has been arrested for writing

a revolutionary poem. It is stated that Madame Sarah Bernhardt, the famous actress, has entered into a contract with a prominent impresario for a tour round the world, which will include visits to America and Australia.

The caravan which Emin Pasha, who has taken service under the German authorities in East Africa, is about to lead into the interior of the country, will, it is stated, be the foremuner of four or five others.

The Germans are building immense warehouses at Zanzibar in anticipation of opening up a trade with Central Africa.

The Times correspondent at Cannes has interviewed Mr. H. M. Stanley, who told him that several of the Relief Committee's letters had men with dismissal if they take holiday on that failed to reach him, yet their contents were | day. known to the German officials.

In the House of Commons this afternoon, Sir John Gorst, in reply to a member, said that the traffic in girls between Rangoon and Madras was engaging the attention of the India Office, and the laws already in existence for the purpose of dealing with that traffic, would be stringently

In the disturbances yesterday the Carlists wounded three of the crowd with revolvers. Order has been restored. Vienna, April 15th.

Fifty arrests were effected yesterday among the rioters in the vicinity of Vienna.

The shops which were looted were chiefly those belonging to Jews. LONDON, April 16th. The police made a raid on a low betting club

in Soho to-day, and arrested fifty-seven persons, most of whom are foreigners. The excitement in connection with the Labour Day movement, which it is intended to celebrate | must be gradual. British responsibility for the in France, Germany, and other countries on the | safety of India, he said, must be unqualified. 1st May, is increasing. The Socialists have destroyed by dynamite Liebig's ironworks at

hold a monster parade. Signor Succi, the celebrated Italian faster, who has undertaken to go without food for forty days, Country Councils, when created, control over has finished the thirtieth day of his fast at the the transfer of land, He urged mutual conces- piling up sacks of rice, when suddenly the whole Aquarium, and is still strong.

The Press at the Cape of Good Hope is denouncing Lord Sallisbury for his refusal to cede the native State of Swaziland to the Transvaal. | Christians there are much gratified at this. A bill re-classifying the various trades and providing for arbitration in trades disputes has been introduced in the German Reichstag.

The labour strikes in Austria are spreading, provides for the export of any quality without throughout the country. through Aix-les-Bains, where Queen Victoria is

without paying a visit to her Malesty. left Capetown for Melbourne,

[The lifeboat Storm King arrived at Cape | recognised. Town from England all well at noon on the and March, and after a short stay was to proceed thence on her voyage to Melbourne. This small | arrested here, and a secret printing press for the ! thirty houses were burned down. The cause of

last, and arrived at Madeira on the 2nd Oc'ober, after encountering some heavy gales. She is manned by her inventor, Captain Jorgensen, and here. a comrade named Nelson.]

Madame Melba, the Australian prima donna, appeared in Paris last night as Marguerite in the opera of "Faust," and achieved the greatest residences. success since Adelina Patti represented the character there.

Captain O'Kane of H. M. S. Callione, which has returned to England to be paid off, is an applicant for the command of the gunnery ship | ing Whydah. Excellent, stationed at Portsmouth.

The proposed Portuguese railway loan has proved a fiasco.

The miners in Silesia (Prussia) have organised serious riots, which were quelled by the military. Mr. J. H. Houldsworth has been elected as one of the stewards of the Jockey Club in the place of Mr. J. Lowther, who has resigned.

The Committee of Ways and Means has reported the Republican Tariff Bill to the United States House of Representatives, after making various alterations in the bill. Sugar below sixteen Dutch standard is made free of duty, and above that grade subject to a duty of four tenths of a cent per lb. American domestic sugars are given a bounty of 2 cents per lb.

The Pan-American Congress, which has been sitting for some months past, and at which all the States of North and South America were represented, is generally recognised to be a failure. The proceedings of the Congress have virtually been without result.

The bootmakers on strike and the masters have decided to submit the matters in dispute Michael Davitt between masters and men in the between them to arbitration. The employers in the boot trade have agreed to provide workshops for the men, and to accept

the result of arbitration on the other matters in A small palace belonging to the Czar, in Finland, has been burnt down, and seven of the

inmates lost their lives. It is announced that the Governor of Mozambique has been directed by the Portuguese Gove nment to recall the military expedition which it was recently reported had been sent to | Charles Tupper, High Commissioner in London |

the Shire River, if it has already started. Constance Kent, who was thirty years ago convicted of murder, has been pardoned. [On the night of 29-30th June, 1860, Francis

Savile Kent, 4 years old, was murdered, and his body hid in a garden water-closet at Road. His sister, Constance Kent, aged 16, and the nurse, Elizabeth Gough, the first suspected, were discharged for want of evidence. The coroner was severely blamed for charging the "jury improperly, but the Court of Queen's Bench, in January, 1861, refused to issue a writ for a new inquiry. Constance Kent, on 25th Ap il, 1865, before Sir Thomas Henry, at Bow-street, and at her trial at Salisbury, on 21st-July following, confessed herself to be guilty of the murder. Her punishment was commuted to penal servitude for life. She was let out on ticket-of-leave, 18th July, 1885. Road is near Frome, Somerset.

delivered his Budget speech in the House of 1.30 h. 1889. The defence was based on various human hopes and plans! During her long to provide for restoring the depreciated gold and fraudulent representations made by the and that his eagle eye was ever on the outcoinage had been created and credited with plaintiff's broker who, it was alleged, stated that look for law-breakers. She seemed very the mint on the circulation of silver. The duty | that a dividend would be declared; it was urged | with all the majesty of the law in his hand, in on silver plate would be remitted to the extent as a further set-off that at the time the shares | the form of a club, and at his heels in the form of £ 0,000. The import duty on currants has were sold, the plaintiff knew that the affairs of of a cordon of his minions. The case was Greece having made important concessions. was averied being at that time Secretary of the considering the nature of the case, and the and several minor reductions would be made. increased, and the amount derived from this, defendant could prove it. together with the additional beer duty imposed last year, would be handed over to the local in the person of the defendant himself, who

reduce the postal rates to India and the Colonies on all routes to add, if the Colonies would concur in the project, but he estimated the loss at £80,000 per annum.

April 18th. It has been decided that the permanent governing body of the Imperial Institute shall include thirty-nine colonial members, the North American colonies being represented by eleven, the principal Australasian colonies by twelve, Africa three, the other colonial possessions (including the Fiji Islands) nine, Tasmania and Western Australia one each, and other parts of Australia two.

DARMSTADT, April 27th. Queen Victoria yesterday received a deputation of the Prussian Dragoon Guard regiment of which she is honorary chief.

PARIS, April 28th. The Paris municipal elections passed off quietly. Twelve Republicans, eight Conservatives, and one Boulangist have been elected. 50 second ballots were necessary, of which 42 were favorable to Republicans of various shades.

BERLIN, April 28th. The proposed labour demonstrations on the 1st May have been prohibited in most of the German states, and many firms threaten their

LONDON, April 28th. Mr. Michael Davitt has made attempts, which so far have proved abortive, to mediate in the railway strike in Ircland, which utterly paralyses trade in the south. The mail was the only train from Dublin to Queenstown yesterday.

In the House of Commons the Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying to a question, said that Government would take no step regarding the question of a hall-mark for silver plate imported from India of the supee standard without consulting the Government of India.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes an account of an interview their representative had with Mr. Childers regarding the impressions he had formed of his late tour in the East, Mr. Childers warmly praised the energy and intelligence of the officials on the Indian frontier, and said that the Indian army was in a high state of efficiency. Regarding the Indian Congress, he thought that many measures of reform were feasible, but they

The debate on the Irish Land Bill was resumed Berlin, owing to the firm having refused to grant last night in the House of Commons. Mr. a holiday on that date, when it is intended to | Chamberlain said that he thought it possible to | away on board the steamer Monghus, adopt Mr. Parnell's proposals jointly with those of Mr. Balfour, and advocated giving the Irish sions in order to settle the Irish Land Question. | mass toppled over on to them, injuring four, one

The state of slege has been raised in Crete, rather seriously. The men were taken to the and martial law has been abolished. The Hospital. In the House of Commons Mr. Bradlaugh | in collision on the bar with a white-painted lorcha gave notice that he would move that no reform on Monday night, The Picciola had two plates In the silver trade, would be complete unless it

compulsory hall-marking. A meeting of Gladstonian Liberals was held | about a week at the Bangkok Dock M. Sadi Carnot, the French President, passed at Swanses, at which the Mayor presided. Babu Surendra Nath Banerii and Mr. Dadabhai left his creditors to mourn the loss of some staying, and proceeded thence to Marseilles | Naoroji were present and addressed the meeting, 220,000 ticals. About 200,000 ticals are due to which passed a resolution of sympathy with the The lifeboat Storm King, in which Captain | efforts of the Indian Congress, and authorised | Chinese, and at the utmost 4 or 5 per cent will Jorgensen is making the voyage to Australia, has the Mayor to address a petition to Parliament asking that the elective principle in India be

PARIS, April 20th.

vessel, which is only 30st. long, with an 83 st. issue of revolutionary pumphlets has been the fire is presumed to be carelessness on the part beam, sailed from London on the 12th September | discovered. It is reported that the arrest of all of the natives in setting fire to leaves and the leaders is immined t.

> Fifteen anarchists have been arrested at Lyons. | occurred for some time past. Explosives, presumably for use on the day of the labour demonstration, were found at their

states that the Dahomeyans are eight miles herbs. Whole villages have been descried, the from Porto Novo, and are destroying the palm forests as they advance. The French are shell- central Government in Bangkok has kept silent

ZANZIBAR, April 29th. Bagamoyo in order to subdue Kilwa. H.M.S. | Gazette. Turquoise has gone there to protect British

LONDON, April 30th. Lord Randolph Churchill has introduced a bill He was interred in the Protestant cemetery. to amend the licensing laws. The bill vests the right to issue licenses with Municipal and County Councils, who will have full authority to regulate | Monday night. It seems that at the time of the the hours of closing. It also provides for a registration fee from clubs ranging up to £2,000, which is to be payable to the County Councils.

the auspices of the Indian Congress Committee, at which resolutions were parsed similar to those | did the damage, but there is a very strong passed at Swansea. Babu S. N. Banerji and Mr. Dadabbai Naoriji were the chief speakers. A letter was read from Sir E. F. Reed, member for Cardiff, promising to support Mr. Bradlaugh's amendment to the India Councils Bill.

The Queen has left Darmstadt for England. The mediation of Archbishop Walsh and Mr. Archbishop blames the directors of railways for | Colonel Childs also ordered the officer to have the failure.

Obituary.-Lord Hammond. Hopes are entertained that the Railway strike in Ireland will be settled to-day by a compromise. | said he would pay.

The Queen has arrived in England. The annual banquet of the London Chamber of Commerce took place lest night in the Hotel Metropole. Mr. Goschen and the Agenta General for the Colonies were present. for Canada, said England can depend on the support of her Colonies in time of emergency. He denied there was any widespread desire in Can da f r annexation to the United States. Mr. Goschen, referring to the Bi-metallic question, held that the State had no right to interfere in remedying causes of depreciation of silver.

> INTERESTING SHARE CASE IN SINGAPORE.

The case Allinson v. Galstann, which came

at Berlin, has been finally raised by the Govern- The duty on British and foreign spirits would be arguments was no doubt a good one, if the Times.

Only one witness was called for the defence gave evidence as to his purchase of the shares, Mr. Goschen stated that he was prepared to and in support of the allegations made in the pleas for the defence. The witness apparently conscientiously believed himself to have been victimized, and Mr. Nanson's rigorous crossexamination caused very little deviation in his evidence. This closed the case for the defence Mr. Nanson followed in an exhaustive speech in which the evidence was carefully gone over, and numerous cases of a similar nature cited. He-considered the defence had not proved any of their points, and that there had been neither fraud nor fraudulent intention, the Company on July 30th, 1880, having been presumably sound. The plaintiff was put into the witness box, and endorsed all the statements made by his counsel, stating that the sale was made at a time when the Company was considered a sound concern and an output of 4,000 piculs of tin ore was anticipated, which output, had it been realised, would have put the affairs of the Company into a most satisfactory condition. After the cross examination of this witness by Mr. Everard, Mr. Schomburg, the broker, was swirn, his evidence coinciding with that of Mr. Allinson. A plea for the plaintiff, and one confirmed both by Mr. Allinson and Mr. Schomburg, was that he (Mr. Schomburg) was not acting as plaintiff's agent, and plaintiff could not be considered responsible for any statements made by him in his capacity as a broker.

Immediately after the adjournment for tiffin, His lordship, without calling upon Mr. Nanson to reply, delivered judgment in favour of the plaintiff for \$1,000 and costs. He said that his decision was in favour of the plaintiff; the contrac: was admitted by the defendant, and defendant set up a defence that he had been induced to enter into the contract by false representations made by Mr. Schomburg. His lordship held as a fact that Mr. Schomburg did not make any false representations, and on these grounds he gave a verdict for the plaintiff for \$1,000 damages and costs.

BANGKOK.

May ard, 1°00. We hear that another Celestial decamped on Tuesday; he was a trader at Sampeng and leaves creditors behind to the amount of some 60,000 ticals. No European firms are touched. Mr. C. E. Heck, the new Inspector of the day provious to sailing. Opium farm, had a lucky beginning. On Tuesday he made a seigure of some 1,600 ticals | apply to worth at Mr. M. B. Cohen's saw-yard, and on W dresday be found so tips of opium stowed A serious accident occurred at the Arracan Milling Company's warehouse last Sunday morning. Several coolies were engaged in

The sleamer Picciola, Capt. Neissen, has been on her starboard side broken and her starboardanchor with thirty fathoms of chain carried away. The repairs of the damage will retain the Picciola

Kim Yoo, another enterprising Celestial, has European firms and about 20,000 ticals to be saved. Another Chinese firm, pressed to show up its standing, showed 90,000 ticals due to Europeans against about 20,000 ticals assets. A serious conflagration took place near Wat Beven prominent anarchists have been Baket last Wednesday night, when mearly

refuse. This dry season has been remarkable Arrests of anarchists continue to be made for its freedom from fires, that of Wednesday being the only one of any importance which has

. Heart-rending accounts areach aus, of the destitution and famine raging in East Laos. In Ubon the prisoners and the majority of the The latest news from the west coast of Africa population are living on banana stalks and wild people flying to more favored districts. The on this matter, but we wou'd respectfully suggest that some measures of relief should be taken in Major Wissmann with a strong force has left | ...id of the famine-stricken region .- Mercantile

We sincerely regret to record the death of Captain Peter Veer, who succumbed to an attack of heart disease last Thursday week.

The German steamer Picciola, Captain-Neissen, was in collision with a lighter on collision the night was very dark and the rain pouring down. The lighter was on her way down to Koh-si-chang and ran into the steamer, A meeting was held yesterday at Cardiff under | leaving a good sized air hole in her port bow. It is not definitely known which or whose lighter

On Wednesday evening Inspector Sheriff met and arrested young Higgins, who became famous here some time back by decamping with 50 ticals, wages advanced to him by Mr. Jones, who had engaged his services as interpreter, before his last trip up-country. He was taken before the American Minister who sent railway strike in Ireland has failed. The him to the Borispah prison for 30 days. him confined in the section set apart for Europeans, and to see that he was supplied with good rations, for which the American Minister

The weather all last mouth was very trying on the constitution of those who are not used to the tropics, and fever and other minor disorders have disabled many from active work, while in some cases the results have been fatal. It is to be hoped that the heavy showers we have been having this week, which, by the way, have not fallen a mirute too soon, will purify the air and prevent the further spreading of minor illnesses. A thunderstorm of somewhat alarming violence broke over Paklat on Thursday morning and was accompanied and followed by a very heavy rainfall. The crashes of thunder heard at the beginning of the storm, sounded directly overhead and were startling in their loudness.

The Siamese lady who has for some time past acted as house-keeper for the late Captain Peter Veer has a natural dread of the tedious and before Chief Justic. O'Malley on May 7th, often uncertain mode of procedure of the probate develop's (says the Straits Times) a number of court. Half an bour after her employer's demise interesting points. Mr. Nanson appeared for the she marshalled her host in the form of a plain iff and Messrs. Joaquim and Everard for string of coolies and proceeded to remove the the defendant. In this action the plaintiff claimed | furniture and effects out of the house and \$1,000 for breach of contract of purchase of fifty | transport them to a new home, which she had Mr. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Rawang shares bought forward at \$20 on July stready prepared to receive them. Alas, for Commons this evening. He estimated an allegations to the effect that the defendant was residence in the house she had never learnt that 1600,000 arising out of the profits realised by the Company was in a flourishing condition, and much surprised when he swooped down on her been reduced to 2s. per cwt., the Government of | the Company were in a bad state, the plaintiff, it | reported to the Austrian Consul-General who, woman's apparent belief that she had a right to Mr. Nanson said that the first of these the goods, let her off with a caution,—Bangkok

Co-day's Advertisements.

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2,553, Tons Register, Captain Williamson, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 12th June,

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Consular Involces to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent Vancouver, R.E. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

on the 11th lune. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until I P.M. thr information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Com and Agents, yo

Honovono, 16th May 1000 THE MACAO BATH-HOUSES.

MR. T. J. COLLACO, in again establishing the Bath-houses at Macao for the summer season, respectfully solicits the patronage of the Foreign Communities of Hongkong. and Canton, who, as occasional visitors, desire to enjoy a course of sea-bathing under the best possible circumstances. The accommodation has been made as comfortable and complete as circumstances will allow, and the charges are, as last year, fixed at a most moderate tariff. A Bar will be one of the features of the establishment, where refreshments can be

obtained at very low rates. The Bath-houses will be opened from the 18th inst until the 30th September. SUPPLIED STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF THE PARTY

Married couples, principality and 2.00 Familles 3.00 | date. Single bath, (towels, etc., included)... 0.30 Dated the 16th day of May, 1897. THEOBALD J. COLLACO. Macao, 16th May, 1890.

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NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

"GENERAL WERDER," Captain M. Eichel, will leave for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 17th instant, at 'O A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., .. Agents. Hongkong, 16th May, 1800.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE ...

THE Company's Steamship

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"NECKAR," Captain H. Supmer, will leave for the above place, TO-MORROW, the 17th inst., at I P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

STEAM TO SHANGHAL

' Agents. Hongkong, 16th May, 1800.

> NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIR "NECKAR,"

FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL THE above named steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery

may be obtained. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY, the 16th inst.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd instant, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on WEDNESDAY, the 21st inst., All Claims must reach us before the 2200 instant, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 16th May, 1890.

BANK HOLIDAY. TN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875. the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, on MONDAY, the 19th instant, the day

appointed in this Colony for the Celebration of the Anniversary of the Birthday of Her Gracious Majesty the Queen. For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF India, London, and China,

C. F. ROWBAND, Manager, Hongkong. For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA

T. H. WHITEHEAD Manager, Hongkong. For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. For the New ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

Acting Agent.

For the COMPTOIR NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE L. GLENAT,

Hongkong, 16th May, 1890. ROYAL, CITY HALL.

WEDNESDAY REAPPEARANCE FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY

HUDSON SURPRISE PARTY.

Box Plan at Mesers. KRLLY & WALSH'S, LTD. Hongkong 16th May, 1890.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. In the Matter of The Estate of FRANCISCO DE SA, Deceased.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Honour-LN able The Acting Chief Justice having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an order limiting to the 1st July next, the time for sending in CLAIMS against the said Estate-their claims to the Undersigned before the said

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1165.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland, Street, THIS EVENING, the 16th inst., at 8.30 for 9 O'CLOCK precisely.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1890.

Hangkong, 16th May, 1800.

[4 VICTORIA DE OF HONGKONG,

No. 1026. REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on THURSDAY, the aznd instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given to Holders of Shares in the above Company on which the CALL of (4) Four Dollars per Share due 16th November, 1889 is still unpaid, that unless the said Call, with Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the due date, be paid on or before the 31st day of May next, at the Company's Offices, 6. Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such call was made will be liable to be forfeited, and under the provisions of Article X. Subsection VIII. of the Articles of Association, the Board will pass the necessary resolutions for the forfeiture of the said Shares. By Order of the Board of Directors,

CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary, Hongkong 15th May, 1890.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION: TOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINAY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL. Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at noon, for the purpose of considering,

and, if approved, of passing the following Resolu-I-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the crestion of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at

the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London. 2-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Com-

3-That payment of the sum of £42 tos. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :— Lio 128, 6d. on the 30th day of June, 1890 (10 128, 6d, 10 121. 6d. ., '31st' ., March, 1891

(10 121. 6d. . 4-That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple, and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificares on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. 5-That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instal-

ments. Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as to approval, date for lodging Scrip Certificates, and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, to be registered as the Holders of the Shares represented by such Scrip Certificates respectively.

6-That interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1890, Holders of Scrip Certificates ba entitled to participate in future dividends, in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other

Shareholders of the Company. 7-That interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instalments. That all moneys received from premiums on

the said New Shares be added to the Reserva-Funds. FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

BANKING CORPORATION, WADE GARD'NER.

Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, and April, 1800.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Interest I and Responsibility of Mr. SHATKALLY FAZULALLY in the business for some time past carried on by him in Copartnership with other persons under the style of SHAIKALLY FAZULALLY & Co., at 6 & 8, Peel Street, ceased on the 1st April, 1890, and in future the business will be carried on by the continuing Partners under the style of HOOSENALLY, FAZU-LALLY & Co.

HOOSENALLY, FAZULALLY & Co. Dated this 10th day of May, 1890. THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

AR. DE WESTLEY LAYTON has been appointed SECRETARY of the Company's Branch Office in Hongkong. By Order of the Board of Directors,

. WM. H. FORBES, Chairman of Hongkong Committee. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890.

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TO LET.

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TO LET. HOUSE in West Terrace. Immediate Entry.

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TNi ER the Patronage of H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, H.E. C. the Major-General Commanding the Troops, and the Officers of the Garrison.

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Doors open at 8. o, to commence at 9 p.m. Hongkong, 14th May, 1800. . [7<u>5</u>9;

Auctions.

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VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, (unless previously disposed of by private contract), on

SATURDAY. the 24th May, 1890, at 4.30 P.M.,

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GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 5th November, 1889 GENERAL NOTICE

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

FROM 1st February next, Nos. 53, 55, & 57, CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, \$833,333-53 RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LO YEUK MOON, Esq. Lee Sing, Esq. LOU TEO SHUN, Esq.

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No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST,

Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

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STEAMERS.	FROM.	DATE PUE.	AGENTS.				
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AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL\$5,000,000. PAID UP CAPITAL 2,500,000. RESERVE FUND 1,250,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman. Hon. C. P. CHATER, Managing Directors.

Vice-Chairman. LEE SING. Esqr S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. POON PONG, Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

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Victoria Bulldings, Hangkong, and May 1880. HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to Holders of Shares in the above Company bearing the following numbers: 484, 511/520, 561/565, 571/580, 611/620

681/690, 771/785, 791/810, 961/990, 1021/1040, 1071/1080, 1111/1115, 1121/1135, 1186/1190, 1206/1210, 1225/1226 and 1229/1230. on which the SECOND CALL of \$50 per Share due 31st July, 1889, is still unpaid, that unless the said call, with Interest at the rate of 9 % Shanghai Banking Corporation, or the General Managers at the Co.'s Office, Nos. 50 and 52,

Queen's Road Central, on or before the 17th May, 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 24th April, 1890.

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Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, 12th May, 1800 PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Peak Hotel and Trading Company, Limited, will not on or after the 1st day of May, 1800, be answerable for or pay any DEBTS or ACCOUNTS unless the orders for the supplies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time being.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. WHEELEY AT

Hongkong, 21st April, 1890. EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY,

LIMITED.

A N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Agents Messrs. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., on TUESDAY, the 20th May, 1890, at NOON, when the resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 3rd instant will be put to the Meeting for confirmation as special resolu-

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 5th May, 1890. THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, wil be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY the 24th instant, at NOON, for the purpose o presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Account to the 30th April,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, the 12th to Saturday, the 24th instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th May, 1892. THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE

STRAITS, LIMITED RESERVE FUND£40.000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: WM. KESWICK (Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co.) Chairman. ADOLF VON ANDRE (Messrs. Andre, Mendel

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Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890.

SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY; · LIMITED. TIVIDEND WARRANTS for the Dividend declared at the Meeting held in Singapore on the 26th April last, are now ready for delivery. Hongkong Shareholders please apply to the

Undersigned for same. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 14th May, 1890.

ARTISTIC DECORATOR, 2, DUDDELL STREET,

HONGKONG. Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

CAPTAIN GEORGE TAYLOR. INLAND SEA and JAPAN COAST PILOT Telegraphic Address;

POWERS. Nagasaki. Hongkong, 8th April, 1890.

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